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In the Office Action dated January 16, 2002, the Examiner indicated that references AA-AJ, BA-CC, DJ-DO, EE-EX, FG and GB-GG cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed August 3, 2001 fail to comply with 37 CFR 1.98 (a)(2) because copies of the references were not submitted. References AA-AD, AI, BA-CC, DJ-DO, EV-EX, FG and GB-GG were cited as references GI-IG in a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed April 29, 2002 and copies of each reference were submitted with the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

Enclosed are copies of references AE-AH, AJ, and EE-EU that were listed on the PTO Form 1449 filed in conjunction with the Information Disclosure Statement originally filed July 31, 2001. A clean copy of the PTO Form 1449 and a copy of the postcard date-stamped August

3, 2001 are also enclosed. The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the enclosed references and return an initialed copy of the form PTO-1449 to Applicants.

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